













LOOKS
LIKE
WE'RE
THE
SAME
...



FACE
A STRONG
BARRIER
WITHOUT
COVERING
ANYMORE
...

I DON'T
KNOW IF
I'LL EVER
BE ABLE
TO...



EVEN AFTER
EMBARKING
ON THIS JOURNEY
WITH TONKA,
SOMETIMES I
STILL CAN'T
HELP BUT FEEL
SCARED...

AFTER
BEING ATTACKED
BY A DEMON
3 YEARS AGO
IN SILBANCA
...

MY BODY
WOULD SHIVER UP
UNCONTROLLABLY
WHenever I SEE
A DEMON.



BUT MOST
IMPORTANTLY
OF ALL, IT'S DUE
TO THE FEELING
OF WANTING TO
PROTECT THE
PERSON MOST
DEAREST
TO ME.

SOMETIMES
IT'S DUE TO MY
FASCINATION
TOWARDS TONKA
AND OTHER
THINGS I JUST
THINK ABOUT
HOW USELESS
I AM.

WELL,
BASICALLY
IT'S DUE TO
A LOT OF
THINGS...



HOW WERE
YOU ABLE TO
KEEP IT UNDER
CONTROL?



THEN
YOU'LL EASILY
BE ABLE TO
OVERCOME
YOUR FEAR AND
ANXIETY.

IF THERE
IS A PERSON
YOU WANT TO
PROTECT NO
MATTER WHAT
...



YUNA-
SAY...



BUT I WOULD
FEEL A LOT
SAFER WITH
YOU BY MY
SIDE

OF COURSE,
I UNDERSTAND
IF YOU'VE HAD
ENOUGH AND
WANT TO GO
HOME...



SOMEONE
I WANT TO
PROTECT



TO HULL
WITH THIS
CUFF!



THE
PARALYSIS
EFFECT IS
WEARING
OFF!

I CAN
MOVE
AGAIN!









SHOULDN'T
THEY BE WITH
BERNARD
HEADING
TOWARDS
HELL'S
GATE?

WHY...
WHY ARE
THEY HERE
...?



IN THE
MEANTIME

LET'S PLAY
ANOTHER
ROUND OF
TAG.

WITH THE
POWER OF
THE RING'S
CONTRACT,
WE CAN
INSTANTLY
TELEPORT
TO WHERE
BERNARD-
SAMA IS
WHenever
HE NEEDS
US.



click





ANRI IS DEAD!



CALM
DOWN,
TOUKA!

ANRI
IS...

NO,
YOU CALM
DOWN!



DIDN'T
WE AGREE
TO ALWAYS
BE TO-
GETHER
...?

WHY
DID YOU
PROTECT
ME...?



SO WHY
DID YOU
LEAVE ME
HERE ALL
ALONE...?



LEAVE ME
HERE...?







YOU'LL
ONLY BE
SUCKED IN
IF YOU MAKE
CONTACT WITH
THE DRAG.

I NEVER
SAID
ANYTHING
ABOUT
DYING.



ARI IS...
IN ANOTHER
PLACE...?



MOST OF
THE PEOPLE
THAT WERE
ABSORBED
CAME BACK
SAFELY.

WHEN
REXKOC
VANISHED
ALONG WITH
THE DUNGEON
3 YEARS
AGO...



ARE THEY
REALLY STILL
ALIVE...?

WAIT...
SO WHERE
EXACTLY ARE
THE PEOPLE
TRANSPORTED
TO...?



SO
YOU MEAN,
ARI SAVED
ME BECAUSE
SHE KNEW
ABOUT THIS
...?



THAT
MEANS
WE HAVE
TO BRING
REXKOC'S
BACK ON
OUR OWN











THAT'S
A TOTAL
OF 10!

THERE WAS
ONCE A GIRL
I PROMISED
TO SPEND THE
REST OF MY
LIFE WITH

I FISHED
ALL THESE
LITTLE GUYS
UP USING MY
CUTENESS
AS BAIT!

PUPUN!

YES, IT'S A
FISHING
CONTEST.
SO WHY
ARE YOU
USING
A BETTY?

LOOKS
LIKE THE
VICTORY IS
MINE IN THIS
FISHING
CONTEST!

SHION'S
ELDER SISTER,
BRIDGET
BLADEDARTS.

SHE WAS MY
COMPANION
3 YEARS AGO,
AND ALSO MY
DEAREST
CHILDHOOD
FRIEND.

SIS...

SERI-
OUSLY,
NOW...



SHE WAS AN EASYGOING PERSON THAT DID WHATEVER SHE PLEASED AND WAS STILL SOMEHOW ABLE TO BRING A SMILE TO THOSE AROUND HER.



I WAS DEEPLY ATTRACTED TO HER FOR AS LONG AS I COULD REMEMBER.





WHY
ARE YOU
LAUGHING?

I'M
BEING
SERIOUS...

HA
HAHA!



EVER
SINCE
WE WERE
SMALL
...

I'VE
ALWAYS
LIKED
YOU...

I FINALLY
MUSTERED
UP ENOUGH
COURAGE TO
TELL HER
HOW I FEEL.
3 YEARS
AGO HERE,
IN THE
NORTHERN
CONTINENT.



LOOKS
LIKE OUR
LOVE WAS
MUTUAL
...

WE'RE LIKE
COMPLETE
IDIOTS,
HAHA...

I'VE ALSO
LIKED YOU
EVER SINCE
WE WERE
KIDS.

I ALWAYS
THOUGHT
YOU NEVER
SAW ME
THAT WAY
...

HOWEVER
THAT
BEAUTIFUL
DREAM OF
OURS WAS
QUICKLY
SHATTERED
...

THEN
PURSUE OUR
HAPPINESS
TOGETHER
...

LET'S SAVE
THE WORLD...



AND
LIKE USUAL,
WE FOUGHT
THE DRAGONS
TO PROTECT
THE VILLAGE.

JUST A
FEW DAYS
AFTER MY
CONFESSION
THE VILLAGE
WE WERE
STAYING
AT WAS
ATTACKED BY
DRAGONS.



HOWEVER
IT CAUGHT
US OFF
GUARD
WHEN THE
DRAGONS
WE KILLED
CAME BACK
ALIVE.

THEY
WERE ALL
BEING
CONTROLLED
BY A
NECRO-
MANCER.

WE DIDN'T
REALIZE ALL
THE DRAGONS
WERE ALREADY
DEAD FROM
THE VERY
BEGINNING.



AND
BECAUSE
WE WERE NOT
PREPARED
FOR THE
SURPRISE
ATTACK...

WE DIDN'T
SEE...





LIKE THE
PERSON
I LOVED THE
MOST.

HOWEVER,
THEY SHOULD
ALSO REALIZE
THAT NECRO-
MANCERS HAVE
TAKEN AWAY
A LOT OF
LIVES AS
WELL.



I KNOW
AS NECRO-
MANCERS,
AMRI AND
THEM WERE
ALWAYS BEING
PERSECUTED.



I STILL
CAN'T GET
OVER HER
DEATH AFTER
ALL THIS
TIME.

HOW
SHAMEFUL
...



YES,
I'M FULLY
AWAKE.

BUT
THAT
NECRO-
MANCER
AND AMRI
ARE...



THIS IS
WHY I WILL
NEVER ACCEPT
THE EXISTENCE
OF NECRO-
MANCERS.







